GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Revenue Department - Common Disciplinary proceedings initiated under Rule 24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification Control &Appeal) Rules, 1991 and Articles of charge framed against Sri Ch. Bhanu Prasad, the then Special Collector, Telugu Ganga Project, Nellore under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification Control &Appeal) Rules, 1991 -Written Statement of Defence Submitted - Further action dropped - Orders with drawn - Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE - I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1200 **Dated: 27.12.2023**

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.115, Revenue (Vig.I) Department, dt.7.2.2019
2. G.O.Rt.No.219, Revenue (Vig.I) Department, dt.7.2.2019
3. G.O.Rt.No.1046, Rev.(Vig.I) Dept., dt: 17.10.2019.
4. From Sri Ch.Bhanu Prasad the then Special Collector, Telugu Ganga Project, Nellore, dt 22.08.2019
5. Fom the Joint Collector, SPSR Nellore District,Rc.A1/ 1134 / 2017,dt: 14.08.2022

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the G.O.s 1st and 2ndread above, common disciplinary proceedings were initiated under Rule 24 by framing Article of charges under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification Control & Appeal) Rules 1991 against Sri Ch.Bhanu Prasad, the then Special Collector, Telugu Ganga Project, Nellore presently working as Special Deputy Collector, NH-16, Visakhapatnam and Sri B. Chengal Rao, the then Spl. Deputy Collector, Telugu Ganga Project, Nellore (Now Retired) on the allegation of filing 18 reference after a lapse of 20 years without verifying the records properly and for payment of decretal charges as per interim orders of Hon`ble High court in LAAS MP No.317/205 in LAAS No.62/15 dt.16.4.2015. In reply, the charged officer has submitted his Written Statement of Defence vide his letter 4thread above.

2. Whereas, in the G.O.3rdread above, orders have been issued dropping further action against Sri Ch.Bhanu Prasad, the then Special Collector, Telugu Ganga Project, Nellore (Now Retired) in respect of charges framed vide G.O 2ndread above, duly stating that it is evident from his Written Statement of defence that he has not granted any permission to the LAO (i.eSpecial Deputy Collector, Rapur) for referring the applications, as alleged. Moreover, the Special Collector, TGP has requested the LAO to act as per the relevant provisions of the Land Administration Act which governs the fling of reference u/s 18 cases to the competent Court of Law which act of duty is quasi-judicial and statutory of the LAO (i.e., Special Deputy Collector, Rapur).

3. In the report 5thread above, it has been brought to the notice of the Govt., thatSri Ch.Bhanu Prasad then Special Collector Telugu Ganga Project has given written permission in his Lr.Rc.C1/807/2011,dt:9.2.2011 to refer the application of Sri ChVenkataSubba Naidu under section 18 of the LA Act; that he has not suggested to the Special Deputy Collector TGP Rapur at Nellore not to refer the said application U/s 18 of the Land Acquisition Act as it is time barred application. Further, after the relief of Sri B. Chengal Rao, from the post of Special Deputy Collector, TGP Rapur at Nellore, Sri Ch.Bhanu Prasad then Special Collector Telugu Ganga Project took charge of the said post, adduced evidence as RW1 in the Civil Court, but not produced the rebuttal evidence in the interests of the Government.

4. After careful examination of the matter, Govt.,have decided to with draw the orders issued vide G.O 3rdread above wherein further action against Sri Ch. Bhanu Prasad, the then Special Collector, Telugu Ganga Project, Nellore now retired was dropped.

5. Accordingly, Govt., hereby order to with draw the orders issued vide G.O 3rdread above wherein further action against Sri Ch. Bhanu Prasad, the then Special Collector, Telugu Ganga Project, Nellore now retired was dropped.

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6. The Chief Commissioner and Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

To
Sri Ch. Bhanu Prasad, the then Special Collector, Telugu Ganga Project, Nellore now retired.
(Through Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri)
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Mangalagiri.
The District Collector, SPSR Nellore District.

Copy to:

The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh.
The PS to Hon`ble Minister (Revenue).
The PS to Special Chief Secretary to Govt.(Revenue).
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Andhra Pradesh.
The Pay and Accounts officer, Andhra Pradesh.
The District Treasury Officer, Nellore.
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SECTION OFFICER